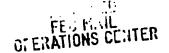


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Re:

Response of Huffman for Congress and David Huffman to pre-MUR 425;

MUR 5496; MUR 550

Dear Mr. Jordan:

This firm has been designated to serve as counsel to Respondents David Huffman and Huffman for Congress in MUR 425, MUR 5496 and MUR 5507.

As you are aware, prior to the filing of MURs 5496 and 5507, Respondents voluntarily appeared at the offices of the Federal Election Commission to disclose and discuss the facts concerning the loan(s) to Huffman for Congress. Following that meeting, I prepared and forwarded to your office the documentation and a chronology of facts concerning the loan(s). Please accept that information as the Respondents' response to the above-referenced MURs.

With regard to the second issue raised in MUR 5496, I am aware that Respondent Dale Jarrett Ford has submitted its documentation demonstrating that the allegations contained in MUR 5496 relative to an 'in-kind' corporate contribution of an automobile are false. The campaign paid for the car as evidenced by the documentation submitted by Respondent Dale Jarrett Ford, which documentation is hereby incorporated by reference by the Huffman for Congress campaign and David Huffman.

Accordingly, Huffman for Congress and David Huffman respectfully request the Commission to dismiss all allegations related to the raffle of the automobile for the reason that the allegations are demonstrably false.

Please advise whether further documentation or additional information related to any of the allegations contained in the above-referenced MURs is required or requested from the Huffman for Congress campaign or any person(s) associated therewith.

We will of course cooperate in all respects with the Commission and your office in these matters and look forward to your expedited review of these issues.

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Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Cleta Mitchell, Esq. Counsel to Respondents

cc: Mr. David Huffman

Mr. Mike Sherrill, Treasurer - Huffman for Congress